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SUBJECT: MARITIME COMMUNICATIONS SATELLITE SYSTEM

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1. REGARDING PARA 1 REFTEL C) SUGGESTING SCHEDULE CHANGE TO WEEK OF JANUARY 27, REGRET UNABLE ACCOMMODATE ANDREYEV. DEPUTY ASSISTANT SECRETARY WALDMANN IS COMMITTED TO CIVIL AVIATION TALKS IN EUROPE THAT WEEK AND UNABLE TO CHANGE SCHEDULE. THEREFORE, TEAM CONTINUES TO PLAN MOSCOW TALKS FOR FEBRUARY 3 AND 4.

2. SEPTTEL WILL BRIEFLY SUMMARIZE INMARSAT AS REQUESTED PARA 2 REFTEL C). HOWEVER, DEPARTMENT AIRGRAM A-46 DATED JANUARY 6, 1975 POUCHES MOSCOW GIVES MORE DETAILED BACKGROUND AND USG POSITION AT POE MEETINGS. RUSSIAN MINISTRY OF MERCHANT MARINE SHOULD BE WELL INFORMED ON INMARSAT, HOWEVER, FOR RUSSIAN DELEGATION TO POE WAS HEADED BY Y. S. ATSEROV, HEAD OF NAVIGATION AND MARITIME TELECOMMUNICATION DEPARTMENT, MINISTRY UNCLASSIFIED

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OF MERCHANT MARINE.

3. O'NEILL, FISHMAN AND CAPTAIN WILLIAM T. ADAMS
(U.S. COAST GUARD) ITINERARY CHANGED AS FOLLOWS:
LEAVE HELSINKI FEBRUARY 1 ON AEROFLOT 640 AT 3:30 PM,
ARRIVING LENINGRAD AT 5:30 PM, LEAVE LENINGRAD VIA
AEROFLOT 2430 AT 7:29 PM, ARRIVING MOSCOW AT 8:39 PM.

DEPARTURE DATE SAME AS REFTEL A). DEPUTY ASSISTANT
SECRETARY WALDMANN'S ITINERARY AS FOLLOWS: FEBRUARY 1
LEAVE LONDON VIA BA 990 AT 10:35 AM, ARRIVE MOSCOW
AT 5:10 PM. ON FEBRUARY 5 LEAVE MOSCOW VIA AEROFLOT 241
AT 12:20 PM, ARRIVE LONDON AT 1:00 PM. EMBASSY
REQUESTED TO ADJUST HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS ACCORDINGLY.

4. APPRECIATE EMBASSY'S OFFER TO ARRANGE EVENING
ENTERTAINMENT. IF POSSIBLE, WALDMANN WOULD LIKE TO
ATTEND BALLET SATURDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY 1. ALSO
IF POSSIBLE, TEAM WOULD APPRECIATE EMBASSY MAKING
RESERVATIONS FOR FOUR TO ATTEND OPERA SUNDAY EVENING,
FEBRUARY 2.

5. TEAM LOOKS FORWARD TO MEETING WITH EMBASSY
OFFICERS ON MONDAY MORNING, FEBRUARY 3. KISSINGER

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